



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Notice of Joint and Individual Colorado Resource Advisory Council Meetings

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of public meetings.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 and the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972, the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Colorado's Northwest Resource Advisory Council (RAC), Southwest RAC, and Rocky Mountain RAC will meet as follows.

DATES: The Northwest, Southwest, and Rocky Mountain RACs will hold a joint meeting on March 29, 2023, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The Northwest and Southwest RACs will meet jointly on March 30, 2023, from 9 a.m. to noon. The Rocky Mountain RAC will meet on March 30, 2023, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. All meetings are open to the public and virtual participation options will be available.

ADDRESSES: All meetings will be held in Glenwood Springs, Colorado. The March 29 meeting will be held at Morgridge Commons, 815 Cooper Avenue. The March 30 meetings will be held at Colorado Mountain College's Glenwood Center, 1402 Blake Ave.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Colorado RACs advise the Secretary of the Interior, through the BLM, on a variety of public land issues in Colorado. Planned agenda items for the March 29 joint RAC meeting include presentations on partnership opportunities and Federal Lands Recreation Enhancement Act funding. Topics of discussion during the March 30 meetings may include recreation, land use planning, energy and minerals management, recreation, sage-grouse habitat management, and other issues as appropriate. Final agendas will be available online 2 weeks prior to the meetings at <https://www.blm.gov/get-involved/resource-advisory-council/near-you/colorado>.

A public comment period will be available at each meeting. Depending on the number of people who wish to comment during the public comment period, individual comments may be limited. Written comments may be submitted in advance of the individual RAC meetings via email to the individuals listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section of this notice. Please include “RAC Comment” in your submission.

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time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

Detailed minutes for the RAC meetings will be made available 90 days following the meetings online at <https://www.blm.gov/get-involved/resource-advisory-council/near-you/colorado>.

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